

# RUMMANS'S RECORD

More About  
The Man Who Would  
Be Senator.

A friend advises us that Mr. Rumman says the statement regarding his transaction with Dr. G. M. Phillips is a lie!

Well, that's quite natural, and it was to be expected of a man who is accustomed to being "all things to all men." However, Dr. Phillips is in St. Louis—several hundred miles away—and he can't hear "Dad," even though he should speak in Latin.

Now, if the statement in regard to Dr. Phillips is a lie, will Mr. Rumman accept THE LEDGER's proffered use of its columns and come out like a man and say so over his own signature?

**Subscriptions**  
LARGEST IN THE CITY.

Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notions" free any more than a merchant can give away his customer for the gift of goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business enterprise. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

**The Continued Calls**  
UPON THE LEDGER for free notices have become so burdensome that we are forced to publish the following terms:

**For Notices of Weddings, Anniversaries, Births, or other public entertainments** charge a fee of \$1.00 per line for the first insertion and 50 cents for each subsequent insertion. A customer orders a five-line notice inserted in the paper. "I'll let you know to take it out," he says to the bookkeeper. But he forgets all about it. The notice runs for two weeks—\$10.00—the bill is \$10.00. Was he made it out there is a "kick" and a controversy, followed probably by an icy feeling. Now, to avoid this trouble, no "I'll let you know" notices will be accepted hereafter. Let a definite agreement be entered into and the termination will be pleasant all around.

**Does Not Include**  
notices of lodge meetings or church services, which must not exceed ten lines.

**Avoidance of Disputes.**  
Misunderstandings are unpleasant. The rate for business notices in THE LEDGER is 10 cents a line for the first insertion and 50 cents a line for each subsequent insertion. A customer orders a five-line notice inserted in the paper. "I'll let you know to take it out," he says to the bookkeeper. But he forgets all about it. The notice runs for two weeks—\$10.00—the bill is \$10.00. Was he made it out there is a "kick" and a controversy, followed probably by an icy feeling. Now, to avoid this trouble, no "I'll let you know" notices will be accepted hereafter. Let a definite agreement be entered into and the termination will be pleasant all around.

**For All matter for publication must be submitted before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.**

**Excelsior Laundry.**  
The attention of the public is called to the fact that the Mayville Steam Laundry, having changed its business relations, will hereafter be conducted at the old stand under the name of the Excelsior Steam Laundry, and Messrs. Cox, Lloyd & Wadsworth, the managers of the new Excelsior Laundry, will devote their whole time, attention and skill in pleasing their patrons with superior laundry work. Give the Excelsior Laundry a trial and you will continue to patronize these enterprising young gentlemen as well as helping out a home industry.

**Laid to Rest.**  
All that was mortal of Mrs. William Davis was yesterday laid to rest on a gentle slope in our beautiful "City of the Dead."

The funeral discourse of her Pastor, the Rev. E. B. Calk, was replete with pathos and affection; and the portrayal of her manifold virtues found ready response from every listener who had been blessed with her acquaintance. He drew a beautiful picture of her perfect life, and presented it as a model for emulation.

The remains were followed to the grave by many relatives, neighbors and friends, whose tender hands consoled them to Mother Earth. Mild tears of sorrow and expressions of grief from loved ones gathered about the sacred spot.

And if there is any mistatement in regard to the Phillips transaction, what has Mr. Rumman to say of the "deals" with Dr. Yazell and Dr. Samuel?

Both of these gentlemen are in this city, and either of them can verify what has been said.

And, Mr. Rumman, if the Phillips transaction was straight and regular, why didn't you sue the Doctor on his note? He has real estate here, and you could have made him settle.

The unsupported declaration of any person that a thing is "a lie" doesn't go as evidence in any court, much less in the court of public opinion.

Meantime, we again direct attention to the fact that THE LEDGER's columns are at the disposal of Mr. Rumman, free of all cost to him, to refute any statement that has been, or that may be, made by this paper.

Can anything be fairer than this?

And still Mr. Rumman hasn't answered the question of a correspondent as to whether or not he is an Atheist.

**ARRIVALS**  
Miss Genevieve Milam has returned from a visit to Millersburg.

J. Elvyn Anderson of the Dover News was in Mayville yesterday.

Miss Nellie Buckley of Murphysville is spending a few days in this city.

Miss Lida Lally of Millersville is visiting her uncle, Mr. William Lally of this city.

Mr. Charles Fitzgerald, who has been visiting in Chicago, has returned home.

The family of H. A. Shown of Beartsville left yesterday for Lane, Kansas, to reside.

Thomas Johnson went to the Queen City Tuesday for a few days visit with friends.

Miss Anna Roads of Washington returned Saturday from a visit to friends in Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. Emily Dobyns and Mrs. Hal Gray are at home after a few days spent in the Queen City.

Mrs. John C. Adamson and daughter returned last evening from a visit to Central Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Gill with their children will leave this week for a visit to the Atlanta Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Mathey returned Saturday from a visit to several friends in Bourbon county.

Mr. Joseph Morford of Lexington, one of foremost druggists of that city, is visiting his mother in this city.

Mr. William D. Spalding returned to Covington this morning, after attending the funeral of the late Mrs. William Davis.

Mr. Richard Spalding left this morning for his home in Louisville, after attending the funeral of Mrs. William Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Fisher and two children, late of Florence, Kansas, are in the city. They will probably locate in this vicinity.

Mr. George W. Orr and daughter Miss Meek, left yesterday afternoon for Cincinnati to attend the bedside of his son George, who is critically ill at that place.

Mr. Rees Davis, Miss Clara Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Maxwell, all of the city. Guest neighbors, were here yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. William Davis.

G. W. Orr, Jr., formerly of this city, now of Cincinnati, was taken suddenly ill Sunday afternoon, and at present lies in a critical condition.

Over in Adams county, O., the people are using cedar for water. This accounts for some of the telegrams the people read in the Cincinnati papers.

A farmer of Garrard county several years ago planted a number of coffee trees, and his labors were rewarded this season by a very good crop, the product having an especially fine flavor. He expects to plant several acres next season, and seems to think that his enterprise will prove a very profitable one.



HELEN'S FAIR A BOOK.

Helen's face is like a book—Charming all its pages. Helen's face is like a book: What's the story I took when on Helen's face I look? When her smile engages? There I read an old romance; Here I see one living. There I read an old romance, But in Helen's lightest glance For a livelier tale catches, Wild excitement giving. What is printer's ink to me? Commas, dots and dashes? What is printer's ink to me? If with Helen I may be, Exclamation points to see Underneath her lashes! —The Larh.

Mr. Basil D. Owens was no better Monday day evening.

Dudley Johnston and Pannie Jones, colored, have been granted marriage license.

Miss Caille Miltsted, aged 22, of Ash land died from an overdose of morphine. Suicide.

James Hayes and Miss Nora Cook of this county were married Monday by Rev. Jacob Miller.

A much needed gutter is being put down on West Second street between Wall and Gray.

Charles Simpson, who killed his twin brother as a dance at South Portsmouth Monday night. Women.

Sarah F. Turner has been appointed Administratrix of the late John P. Campbell, with Chas. Farrow surety.

William H. Hook, C. C. Dogman and Lewis Jenkins have been appointed appraisers of the personality of the late George Hughes.

L. M. Collis, John Dickson and James Davenport have been appointed appraisers of the personality of the late John P. Campbell.

Minerva Hughes has been appointed Administratrix of George Hughes, recently killed by falling from the C. and O. train at Springdale.

The Public Schools of Fayette county have been closed, owing to the long-continued drought, which has caused an epidemic of typhoid fever.

The continued dry spell in Kentucky has closed the mouths of the smart fellows on the outside as to the dislike of the average Kentuckian for water.

Friendship Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, will have an initiation next Friday evening, and also an anniversary celebration. All members cordially invited.

Colonel M. L. Williams of the Polham farm yesterday hauled to the city and by means of a staunch derrick and stout ropes unloaded in front of THE LEDGER office a nine-pound beet. In the language of Matt Stitt the immortal, "It beats!"

A new timecard went into effect Sunday morning on the L. and N. Railroad. The new schedule does not effect the arrival or departure of any train at this city. Lexington, Millersburg, Mayville, Carlisle or Cynthia, says The Bourbon News.

Relatives of Dr. John Sutton, who died several weeks ago at Versailles, will ask the court to set aside his will, which he bequeaths his entire estate, \$50,000, to the Presbyterian Church and Foreign Missions, leaving nothing to his relatives.

Ladies who contemplate purchasing a wrap should not fail to see the elegant line that Mr. Schmidt, the Representative of Messrs. Landmann, Hirschelmer & Co. is exhibiting at Brown's today and tomorrow. He has everything in his line from the lowest to the highest, and all can be suited. Don't fail to go and look, even if you don't purchase.

**MR. P. G. TRIPLETT,**

After a Long Illness, Died Yesterday Afternoon.

Mr. P. G. Triplett, aged 33 years, son of the late Dr. Triplett, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his mother in the Fifth Ward of consumption.

He has been confined to his room for several weeks, wasting away, until the end came yesterday.

Mr. Triplett was a member of the famous Mayville Band, and several years ago served the citizens as Councilman.

He married a daughter of Constable W. B. Dawson, who survives him.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, the services being conducted by Rev. E. B. Calk. Burial private.

## NEW DRESSES FROM OLD.

AN OHIO WOMAN'S CONHOUSNESS SAVED HER MONEY.

A Way of Home Dyeing That Is Simple, Easy and Economical—Diamond Dyes. The Best Colors and Do Not Fade, Croak or Wash Out—How to Color Gowns, Suits and Wraps With Little Expense.

In a letter written last month by Georgia Hook, Paintersville, Green county, O., she says: "I colored an old tan dress last fall that I had worn all summer, and had a nice black dress. My girl friends went nearly wild over it, and they were so astonished when I told them it was my old tan dress colored with Diamond Dyes. Several of them tried the dyes on their white cashmires and all of them had nice looking black gowns."

"I have used a great many Diamond Dyes for cotton, wool and silk, and have met with unvarying success. Last week I used a dozen packages in coloring cotton for rugs, and made two beautiful rugs. I have tried other package dyes, but never with the success that I have had with the Diamond. I have never failed once with Diamond Dyes, and I do not think anyone could, if they pay attention to the directions that come with each package."

Diamond Dyes are especially prepared for home use, and are guaranteed to be the strongest, fastest and easiest to use of any dye. To get best results, it is necessary to use different dyes for wool and for cotton, and Diamond Dyes are especially prepared for each. Insist on having Diamond Dyes, and you will always have colors that will not fade.

The Catlettsburg Democrat tells of a new and immediate cure for the cigarette habit among boys in this: "It is said that laying on of hands for complaints, especially in children, is now taking the place of Christian science. A mother having her boy of the cigarette habit with one dose. She laid her left hand on the boy's neck, her right hand on a substantial slipper, and then laid the slipper where it would do the most good. It effected a cure and a relapse is not looked for."

## A New Dish.

Our common river snail is a delicious edible, so say those who have tried it. Pete Lutz of Market street is going to make a chowder of them Friday and invites epurates to taste. He says they are better than seaclam chowder. All experiments in new and cheap food are well worth testing, but maybe Lutz's style of cooking has something to do with the edibility of the old fashioned mussel.

## KENTUCKY CATTLE.

The C. and O. Has a Shipment of 10,000 Head to the East.

The Chesapeake and Ohio road has just completed a consignment of cattle in the cattle counties of Kentucky.

They account for 30,000 head, and of these 16,000 are under contract to go East before January 1st.

Philadelphia, New York and other large cities are using Kentucky beef, to the detriment of the Chicago product, and the C. and O. is making a big thing out of it.

They send three ship loads every month to Liverpool.

## JACK LEE.

A Mayville Boy Who Rose to Great Prominence.

One of the old Mayville boys who was honored in a new home, perhaps as much as was Jack Lee, the son of James and Elizabeth Lee, who years ago went with his parents to what was then the far West—Peoria, Ill. His father was an old time steamboat captain and one of the most genial and witty of men. The son partook of all the good qualities of his father, and grew to be an exceedingly smart man and handsome and attractive in every way. He came to be one of the best lawyers at the Peoria bar, and though he was in a District largely Republican, he was sent as a Democrat to the State Senate of Illinois no less than nine terms. The nomination for Governor was pressed upon him more than once, but he always declined it. His mother was a most excellent woman, and like all true and good sons, he was devoted to her. A gentleman who knew him intimately and saw him often while he lived in Peoria told us that he was considered one of the brightest, most talented and versatile men who ever lived in that part of Illinois. He was elected to Congress a few years since, and died while in Washington City when he had not attained to much over 40 years.

# Frank Owens Hardware

Our Stock is the Largest and Most Complete Ever Shown in Our City.

BECOMING SERIOUS.

THE OHIO RIVER LOWER THAN EVER BEFORE KNOWN.

Sandbars are High and Dry—All the Large Steamers Have Quit Running—Many Roundabouts are in a Plentiful Condition.

Yesterday THE LEDGER published an article on the condition of the river, and today we present another one on the same subject, taken from The Cincinnati Post:

"Not one Southern steambot has left Cincinnati since the latter part of June," said Captain J. C. Dorman Monday. "The first boat that went out last year after the low stage had caused a suspension of traffic was the ill-fated Longfellow, which left for New Orleans on December 8th."

Many old rivermen contend that a navigable stage will not be reached until after the first heavy snow. The first snow last year was on November 11th.

The Public Landing is deserted except for a few homeless roundabouts who cluster around the driftwood fires near the water's edge. There is no blowing of whistles and no indication of life on the half score of steamers moored in the wharves.

In the center of the river, rising several inches above the water, is a big, sandy bar running up the Licking river. The latter stream at its mouth is scarcely fifty yards wide.

At Craig's Bar, near Carrollton, Ky., one of the most dangerous impediments to navigation, the stage is only eighteen inches and the falls at Louisville are dry.

The Indian's head, sculptured in a great rock nearly a quarter of a century ago when the river was so very low near Portsmouth, O., can now be clearly seen, as old rivermen declare, for the first time in twenty five years.

Opposite the Public Landing in this city a few feet below the shore, the wreck of the ill-fated Big Sandy rears its ungainly shape several feet out of the water.

Near this desolate scene the Broadway lower is exposed for the first time in many years. A few squares below the Walnut street sewer pours its refuse and slime from the neighboring factories into the sluggish stream.

The Government dredges opposite the Licking still continue in operation, and work on the new bridge pier has again been resumed.

Captain Joseph Slusser, one of the old pioneers among the rivermen, says he has not seen the river so low since 1857, when men were able to blast in the channel by wading, and many of the most prominent rivermen declare that the Ohio has never been so low.

The big, sandy bar at Dayton, Ky., stretches back fully a mile from the water's edge from the shore portage. The only boats now leaving this port are the J. C. Hopkins, H. K. Bedford, Frank Preston and Andy Hatcher, and they ply only to the small river towns in the immediate neighborhood. None of these has a draught of more than twenty-one inches.

Moored at the Public Landing are the steamers Lizzie Bay, Buckeye State, Courier, Hercules Carrel, Bonanza, City of Vevay, and below, at Riverside, are the John K. Speed, Scotia, B. S. Rich, Sidney Dillon, Al Martin, while at the East End Docks are the Tacoma, Crown Hill, New South, Beaver, Congo, City of Louisville, Hudson and Shirley.

There is no immediate prospect of a navigable stage, and in the meantime hundreds of homeless, unemployed roundabouts are bordering on the verge of starvation.

John T. Fleming has opened a most store in the Fifth Ward at the corner of Second and Commerce streets. Oysters and eelery kept in stock. Give him a call.

Dr. S. C. Webb, Liberty, Miss., says: "I have been using Ayer's Pills for over twenty-five years, and recommend them in case of chronic dyspepsia, knowing their efficacy from personal experience, they having cured when every other medicine failed."

# GUNS, Powder, Shot, Caps

LOADED SHELLS, HUNTING COATS.

Brass and Japanned Coal Vases, Brass and Steel Fire Pots, Coal Buckets and Fire Shovels, Ebony, Ivory and Pearl Handle Table Cutlery, Pocket Knives, Scissors and Razors.

FRANK OWENS HARDWARE CO.

The inspection party of the C. and O. leaves Cincinnati Saturday to inspect the Cincinnati Division.

The building for the flouring-mill at Washington has been completed, and the machinery will be received at an early day.

Mr. C. F. Taylor, auctioneer, sold for Mrs. Margaret Franklin yesterday her house on Wall street to Henry Dersch for \$1,165.

If the hair has been made to grow a natural color on bald heads in thousands of cases, by using Hall's Hair Renewer, why will it not in very old.

Rev. H. G. Patrick late pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city has accepted a call from the Baptist Church at Marion, Ala.

Rev. W. T. Spears will, by appointment of the Presbytery, take part in the installation services next Sunday at Vanceburg of Rev. Mr. Yeaman.

"Cap," the beautiful pet dog belonging to Miss Louise Ort, has strayed away or been stolen. Reward if returned to D. P. Ort, Chief of Police.

The advertising columns of THE LEDGER speak for themselves. They show that people who know how to advertise know also where to advertise.

Wyandotte Tribe No. 3, I. O. R. M., will meet in their Wigwag Wednesday evening, 23d, at 7 o'clock and on Thursday evening as heretofore. A full attendance is desired.

Thomas Russell, C. of R.

Mrs. Zeisler will give a concert in Mayville on the evening of November 11th. If 160 subscribers at 75 cents for reserved seat can be secured very soon. If those who would like to enjoy this rare treat would send their names at once to Miss Moore of Haywood Seminary she would be very glad.

Rev. Robert F. Caldwell of Sharsburg, well known here, preached the sermon at the centennial celebration of the Presbyterian Church at Mt. Sterling October 6th. His sermon is very highly spoken of by those who had the good fortune to be present. Rev. Caldwell is 84 years of age, and speaks of this as probably his last sermon. It will be printed with the account of the celebration.

Fifty Thousand Bushels Coal.

William's Pomeroy Coal at 8 cents; Kanawha Coal, semi cannel, at 9 cents; best grades—at N. Cooper's Coal Yard, Fifth Ward.

No mystery about it. When the Shakers offered some time ago to give away a bottle of their Digestive Cordial, to any one who might call at their New York office, there was a great rush and a great many people thought they were very glad.

Subsequent events prove it to have been a very clever advertising transaction, for although they gave away thousands of bottles, it took in a few profitable; nearly every one that was a free bottle came back for more and paid for it with pleasure, saying they had derived better results from it than any other medicine they had ever used.

There is nothing so uniformly successful in the treatment of stomach troubles as the Shaker Digestive Cordial, and what is better than all, it relieves at once.

LAXOL, the new form of Castor Oil, is a reliable that children like the spoon cake.

You are making no mistake and are taking steps in the right direction when you send your orders for printing to—

No. 10 East Third Street, MAYSVILLE, KY.

Dr. W. S. YAZELL, Physician and Surgeon.

No. 209 and 210 Union St., Hours: 10:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M. 1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Cloak Opening!  
TODAY  
AT  
BROWN'S.

SINCE it has been discovered that Mr. J. DUDLEY RUMMANS is such a wonder in knowledge, how strange it appears that it was not discovered sooner that he held to the same opinion with Colonel INGERSOLL, that there is no God? As the case stands, he seems to be a very remarkable specimen of learning.

Hand's home, on the Fleming place, a Dress  
made of white and red wrapping paper, and had  
it name of Miss Hattie Howell. Price, 21c.  
Hart's store, Wedonia, and receive reward. 21w

**LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN**—A brown and  
white Water Spaniel; answers to the name of  
"Buddy." Reward given for morning of Jan. 10.  
Black. Reward given if returned to Chief of Po-  
lice D. P. OKT. oct15 1w

**LOST**—Between Postoffice and Court street,  
a letter addressed to Miss Annie Clark. Please  
call at 23 Court street. oct17 1w

**LOST**—A small black leather Pocket-book, con-  
taining a few change. Finder will please  
bring to this office. oct17 1w

**LOST**—Between steps above L. and N. Depot  
and Market street, last Sat., with money silver

rely destroyed by fire Tuesday night. The damage is estimated at \$160,000.

**Fire at Michigan City.**

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Oct. 23.—Fire Tuesday evening destroyed two large buildings owned by the Chicago Cane Sausage Co. and occupied by the Winnebago Cattle Co. as storage for pork barrels. Loss \$15,000 insured.

Young, a colored woman, died Tuesday night of lockjaw. She stuck a nail in her foot Saturday night and suffered intense pain.

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**Crushed to Death.**  
WHITESBURG, Ky., Oct. 23.—Samuel Cox, of Pike county, 25 years old, while hauling saw logs, was caught between two logs and crushed to death.

Address THOS. A. D  
NOW'S TIME T

AVIS, Maysville, Ky.  
O SUBSCRIBE.





